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In Re Application of:

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Examiner: R. Shukla

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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

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Dear Sir:

The following extension of time is requested in order to respond to the Notice of Appeal filed November 21, 2003. A response was initially due January 21, 2004.

X One month to February 21, 2004. However, because February 21, 2004 falls on a Saturday, a response filed the next business day, Monday, February 23, 2004 is considered timely. The extension fee is
_ \$55 X \$110

X A check to cover the \$110.00 extension fee is attached.

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees under 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.16 and 1.17 which may be required by this paper, or to credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 18-1648.

Respectfully submitted,

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